



Pisidium supinum

Humpbacked peaclam

General

1. Freshwater bivalve growing to 4.5mm in length

Geography and Habitat

1. Native: Eurasia, including Iceland
2. Habitat:
 - Prefers lotic waters in canals and rivers; tolerates more lentic waters in lakes
 - Typical of coarse sand, silty sand, or mud
 - Very sensitive to eutrophication, but is resilient to both low waters and floods

Invasion Pathways

1. Likely solid ballast release

Sources

1. <http://nas.er.usgs.gov/queries/FactSheet.aspx?SpeciesID=2391>



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